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Hi Nathalie,

I left you a voice message, but I also wanted to follow-up via email. I was out of the office Friday through yesterday, and I have yet to have an opportunity to review the draft agreement myself or to consult with my client regarding the draft agreement. I anticipate that we will have comments to you and Andrew by the end of next week.

Thank you for your patience, and please let me know if you have any questions or concerns with this time frame.

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**To:** Helmlinger, Andrew; Micheline N. Fairbank  
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Hi Andrew and Micheline,

Thank you for taking the time to call on Wednesday. As we discussed, by this email, I am transmitting a draft of a Memorandum of Understanding between EPA, BLM and NDEP at the Anaconda Site. On our call on Wednesday, Andrew and I explained a few of the major aspects of the MOU. It primarily is designed to outline our roles and responsibilities at the Site from a fairly high level, relying instead on subsequent agreements (like the Superfund Contract or similar) to outline details of the relationship between some or all of the Agencies. The attached draft MOU is modeled after the MOU negotiated between EPA and BLM for the Site, with relevant modifications to reflect the inclusion of NDEP. As a first draft, I fully expect edits and modifications and look forward to discussing all suggestions as we proceed.

I understand that our respective agencies would like to finalize the MOU as soon as practicable. With that in mind, if you could review and provide comments by July 22, I would appreciate it. If this does not work for your schedule, let me know and I can relay that information to BLM.

Thank you,

Nathalie

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